

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: )      Examiner: Desai, Anand U.  
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Alexander ABBAS, et al. )      Art Unit: 1656  
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Application Serial No. 10/567,939 )      Confirmation No. 3703  
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For: **COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS**      )      Customer No. 77845  
**FOR THE TREATMENT OF IMMUNE**      )  
**RELATED DISEASES**      )

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on June 24, 2008, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks. The present Amendment and Response is timely filed within the one-month shortened statutory time period set for the Response.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.